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WEATHER POSTPONES LITTER BLITZ *Event rescheduled for Saturday, May 3, 2008*

Medicine Hat – The City of Medicine Hat's annual Litter Cleanup Blitz has been postponed due to the local forecast and remaining snow from last weekend's blizzard.

The Litter Cleanup Blitz was originally scheduled to take place Saturday, April 19, however due to blizzard conditions it was rescheduled to April 26.

With continuing winter conditions, the Litter Cleanup Blitz is now postponed to May 3 - weather permitting.

The City will contact Individuals and groups who registered to notify them of the date change.

The Litter Cleanup Blitz includes a complimentary barbecue from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Parks and Outdoor Recreation parking lot located at 88 Kipling Street SE for all participants.

"The Litter Cleanup Blitz has been very successful in previous years and we look forward to working with the community in this year's event and for sharing in our community's spirit by "picking it up,"" said Frank Merkl, Outdoor Recreation Manager. "The Litter Cleanup Blitz is an opportunity for individuals to demonstrate their community spirit by keeping Medicine Hat beautiful and preserving the environment."

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